



**RESPONSE UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.116  
EXPEDITED PROCEDURE REQUESTED  
EXAMINING GROUP 3700  
PATENT**

Customer No. 22,852  
Attorney Docket No. 08350.3313

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re Application of: )  
Owen C. KOLSTAD et al. ) Group Art Unit: 3748  
Application No.: 10/743,753 ) Examiner: Tran, Binh Q.  
Filed: December 24, 2003 ) Confirmation No.: 8934  
For: PARTICULATE TRAP ) Mail Stop AF

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
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Sir:

**AMENDMENT AFTER FINAL**

In reply to the Final Office Action mailed November 30, 2005, the period for response having been extended to March 30, 2006 by a request for extension of one month and fee payment filed concurrently herewith, and pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.116, Applicants propose that this application be amended as follows:

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims in this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** follow the amendment sections of this paper.

Approved Entry - 05/25/2006 [Signature]